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**URGENT – REPLY TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the matter of:

INVENTORS: Solomon Zaromb et al.

EXAMINER: Dr. Bobby Ramdhanie

SERIAL NO.: 10/710,838

ART UNIT: 1709

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FOR: AEROSOL COLLECTION APPARATUS AND METHODS

**RE TERMINAL DISCLAIMER ETC.**

May 19, 2009

Hon. Commissioner of Patents & Trademarks


Washington, DC 20231

S I R :

Following the Examiner's kind suggestion during a telephone conversation of May 13, 2009, a set of revised claims partly complying with the "Claims Proposed by Examiner" on 5/8/2009 was prepared for submission, but its faxing had to be delayed till May 17<sup>th</sup> due to a failure of our fax machine. In case those revised claims of May 17<sup>th</sup> are found to be acceptable as submitted or with negotiable modifications, and a terminal disclaimer is found to be required even with the revised claims, the following corrected disclaimer co-signed by both inventors is submitted for tentative approval.

In view of the impending May 26<sup>th</sup> deadline for bringing the application in condition for allowance, it will be highly appreciated if the Examiner's reply and possible counter suggestions are communicated to the undersigned without delay via the telephone or Fax numbers listed below.

Respectfully submitted by,

  
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